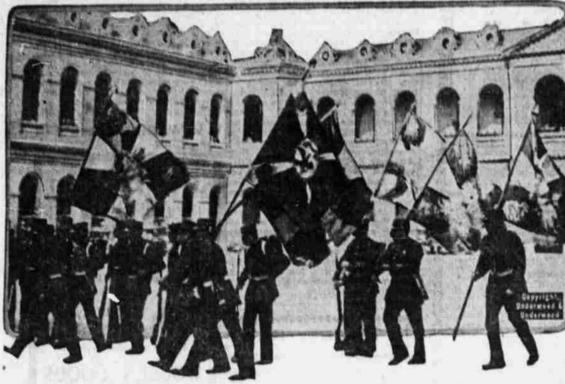
PARIS RECEIVES CAPTURED GERMAN STANDARDS



Great ceremony attended the occasion of the conveying of seven captured German war standards to the mu seum of the Invalides in Paris. The photograph shows the flags being carried across the courtyard.

Operation by Government.

Notes Ordered - Evolution Will Be Gradual.

eration of its new currency system, banks in cities now known as reserve American forces. Secretary Bryan designed to provide an elastic circu- and central reserve cities. At the end lating medium based on modern ideas of three years, however, that will be of finance and economics.

serve board almost 12 months to work start out with a total cash resevre of out details of organization to the point about \$243,000,000. where an opening date was chosen. Another point not forgotten by ad-Notwithstanding careful deliberations mirers of the law is the fact that the which preceded every preliminary different reserve requirements will rest on Monday, November 23. weeks take up and exercise all the in reserves and will afford far greater functions bestowed upon them by con- opportunity for a borrower to get a gress. Such evolution as will result hearing and a loan, from the old national banking system

The new system is generally conceded to be a compromise between a central bank and the present system with its thousands of units, scattered reserves and fixed limits of currency. Its chief attraction and value those who interpret it find the elasticity it will give to recognized paper currency.

Under the present law bank currency is almost a fixed quantity, based upon the National capital bank, issued upon United States bonds and unresponsive to the chill of hard times or the exultation of boom days. Its use led, the experts say, to unrestricted loans and speculation, in the days when money was easy, and to a hoarding of resources and a tightening of the purse strings of credit when they were hard. It is said to have bred the panic of 1907, when solvent banks with large credits in reserve and

central reserve cities were helpless. Under the new system the Federal reserve notes, which in time, probably will entirely replace the National bank notes, now so familiar, will be issued on commercial paper arising out of actual business transactions. It seems plain that they will rise and fall in amount as the tides of businesss rise ported to have decided to change complain that they will rise and fall in and fall and that there will be no pletely the plan of battle. plethora of money to lie idle. They will be obligations of the United States government, which National bank notes are not, and will have back

notes have been ordered by the con-

Family Wrecked by War.

Grass Valley, Cal.-Four sons killed in a battle, the mother a suicide and according to a letter just received from Germany. The young men answered al of the European war. When the news of their deaths reached home, the father became insane, and now wanders over the country, placing flowers on every hillock, thinking it a grave.

German Submarine Sunk.

in the Channel. The French boat was attacked by the submarine off Westende. The French commander sighted the periscope and rammed and sank the submarine.

| Commander sighted the french commander sighted the best submarine of the coast of Chile. The inquiries come principally from the supply for the periscope and rammed and sank the Baltic.

| Commander sight with a seminated of the coast of Chile. On their return to Valparaiso the vest two years at \$25,920, which is the school hours shall be from 9 o'clock in the same as the appropriation made by the same as the appropriation of the coast of Chile. On their return to Valparaiso the vest two years at \$25,920, which is the school hours shall be from 9 o'clock in the same as the appropriation made by the same as the appropriation made by the same as the appropriation made by the same as the appropriation will be carefully over the zone of battle without the submitted to the next legislature.

troller of the currency for the 12 banks. They are to be accepted by all member banks and for all customs, taxes or other dues.

Next to the elasticity of the new currency, officials value the "mobiliz-Elastic Money System is Put into sums from country banks in reserve cities as uncities and central reserve cities as uncities as uncite as uncites as uncites as uncites as uncites as uncites as uncite as uncites as un der the National banking act, but their appearance in large part on the debit balances of the 12 reserve banks in widely scattered parts of the country. These reserves will be as near as pos-Change Is First in 50 Years-New sible to the door of the member banks to which they belong in times of need and there can be no refusal from a reserve bank to return them in cases of

exigency. Washington, D. C.—With the opening Monday of the 12 Federal reserve banks may keep a certain proportion banks the nation will begin actual op- of their reserves with other member the evacuation of Vera Cruz by the changed and all reserves will be held

banking business excer

Russians Fiercely Fighting

Kaiser in East Germany forced to retreat into East Prussia from Russian Poland have placed heavy artillery in all defiles to the east of Mazurian lakes, where a new terrific battle is in progress along a front of 150 miles forming a wide curve from Stalluponen, in the Northwest, through Goldap and Kruglaken to Sodlau in the Southwest.

The Russians are vigorously carrying out an enveloping movement. The and to just what authority the port of Germans consider their position impregnable and believe they will check made plain. the enemy's advance, according to a dispatch from Petrograd by way of

Paris, which adds: 'Throughout all Prussia railway passenger traffic has been suspended. The lines now are transporting only turned over to an agent of General troops, apparently with a view to a Carranza, probably General Candido new concentration which is said to Aguilar, commanding the constitution-have been decided upon by a recent alist forces in the state of Vera Cruz. council of the Austro-German general

California Gifts Go Soon.

San Francisco-December 1 is the day on which the California ship loadregional banks. Through them the ed with supplies for starving Belgians reserve banks are expected to come to the aid of any needy member bank suitable vessel and of the insurance which has plenty of good paper but will be borne either by the London Reneeds cash.

To insure the flow of money reserve banks themselves may be required to rediscount for the flow of money reserve banks themselves may be required to but on the flow of the f rediscount paper of other reserve ing a total of \$117,174 subscribed thus far. Great quantities of beans, flour, more than \$250,000,000 of the new provisions and other commodities also were received. It is believed the

Scott Will Head Staff.

Washington, D. C .- Brigadier Gen eral Hugh Scott was selected by Presithe father insane, is the fate of the dent Wilson Saturday to be chief of family of S. Neuberger, of this place, staff of the United States army on the retirement next week of Major Wotherspoon.

The vacancy of major general cresame time in one of the early battles ated by General Wotherspoon's retire-of the European war. When the news ment will be filled by the nomination of Brigadier General Frederick F. mother committed suicide and the Funston, now in command at Vera Cruz.

Lumber Orders Pour In.

Seattle, Wash .- Inquiries for 9,-000,000 railroad ties and for 10,000,-London - The Petit Calaisien says 000 feet of large timbers received during the last 10 days have greatly stim-Dunkirk harbor Friday and reported ulated the Northwestern lumber situa-

Port November 23.

Secretary Bryan Says Guarantee of Safety Is Obviated Nuns and Priests Have Gone.

Washington, D. C .- Monday, Norember 23, was fixed as the date for has issued this announcement:

It has taken the reserve bank organ- either in a bank's own vaults or with convention at Aguas Calientes having ization committee and the Federal Re- a Federal bank. The 12 banks will given the assurances and guarantees we requested, it is the purpose of the administration to withdraw the troops

> "All the persons there for whose safety fears were entertained, are now on their way to this country."

a long conference between Mr. Bryan and President Wilson. It apparently London-German forces which were was received with surprise in some official quarters. The general understanding has been that the evacuation might be delayed indefinitely pending reports on the alignment of the various Mexican chiefs in the latest civil war now in progress. Secretary Bryan declined to add to the formal incement, saying details would be made public by the War department. Secretary Garrison had nothing to say,

It has been assumed, however, that as the United States throughout the Mexican difficulties has dealt with the authorities actually in control of territory involved, the city would be

So far as is known, there has been no final decision as to when and whom the more than a million dollars of Mexican customs moneys now held by the United States shall be paid. Both Carranza and the Aguas Calientes convention have given guarantees that rustoms duties collected at Vera Cruz shipped out of Polk county. will not be reimposed. In view of the complications which might arise, howen from power by Villa's army sup-porting General Gutierrez, the convenbeen suggested that payment of the money might be withheld pending a clarification of the situation.

French Pay \$182,000,000.

Bordeaux - The cost of war to France in October was \$182,154,504, a daily average of more than \$6,000,000. The daily average for the first three months of the war was \$7,000,000. The government will disburse immediately \$13,000,000 for repairs to the railroad system. These probably have been made necessary by the wear and tear due to the transportation of troops. The sum of \$1,314,000 has been set side for the relief of the unemployed. localities invaded by the Germans.

Seafight Site Unmarked. Washington, D C .- Eduardo Suarez, Chilean ambassador here, is informed by his government that Chilean ships nt out to search had not found the slightest trace of the Monmouth or the

Larger Sums Are Asked for Oregon Institutions Announcement was made; sired for the insane asylums because

by the state board of control this week that estimates made by it for state institutions for the coming biennial period totaled \$1,763,516.93, which is an increase of \$107,955.32 over the appropriations for the same purpose made by the last legislature for the present period. Of the last appropriations \$20,850 for creeting barracks at the penitentiary and \$20,000 for the Solders' home was turned back into the state treasury, making the total appropriations used by the institutions \$1,608,711.61. While increases for maintenance are suggested by the board for several institutions the estimated increases are largely due to the belief of the beard that improvements are necessary. Maintenance increases are asked for the insane asylum and the penitentiary because of an increase and soldiers' industrial school, \$37,348.75. by the state board of control this week both of them virtually are filled to ca

the penitentiary because of an increas-ing population, and new wards are de-and soldiers' home, \$37,348.75.

Powder Valley Irrigation Project to Be Revived

Baker-Work on the Powder Valley company intends to complete the big Irrigation company project will begin project. "We cannot start more than this

tion of operations on the project, enable us to proceed with the entire which ultimately will furnish water project."

The company has already done \$125,for the Powder river valley. It also The company has already done \$ answers the question of whether the 000 worth of work on the project.

Boy Gives Up Parole On Account of Lack of Work

Salem-So far as analyzing business business, had been laid off.

"I spent several days looking for another job," said the youth to Super-intendent Hale of the school, "but without success. I had little money, for when I was working my wages Shipments of livestock from country the disease does not exist. until spring because of war and cars a mitted, but the judge said he could not do that as I had done nothing wrong."

The judge, however, called Mr. Hale

the boy will be able to make more than his living in the tailoring establishment in the institution. It was there that he learned his trade, and is

Court Cuts Down Valuation.

Astoria-The trial of the case of Campbell of the Circuit court this week and the court awarded the maldehyde as substitute disinfectants plaintiff \$663.50. The action was in the nature of an appeal from the decision of the County court in allowing the plaintiff only \$1 damages for right of way through his ranch near Knappa for the Columbia highway.

A total of 4.82 acres of land were

Tons of Prunes Are Shipped. Rickreall - Several tons of dried fruit, principally prunes, have been

prunes that were sold brought a high price, the amount varying considerever, in the event Carranza were driv- ably. Early contracts for the crop were frequent. The crop this season was estimated to be 65 per cent of tion's new provisional president, it has that of last season, owing to early

> Road Drags Made of Old Iron. Albany-By using old bridge iron in the construction of road drags, the County court of Linn county is not only utilizing material which would otherwise be thrown away, but is using it most effectively for road improvement. Drags of this type are to be distributed among the road districts.

Old Friday Mine Opens. Baker - The famous Friday mine, formerly a big gold producer, located Various sums will be used to relieve 12 miles from Baker, near the Virtue mine has been reopened. Joseph Buck-ley, one of the principal owners of the property, started a force of men at work under the direction of George Ray, foreman. The property will be worked continuously all winter.

Office Expense Estimated.

next spring, according to plans an-nounced by J. A. Almirall, New York "With the present condition of the capitalist, who arrived here to visit the project. Mr. Almirall said that the plans as now mapped out are to build the toe of the Balm Creek dam next spring and thereby to store enough water to irrigate at least 2000 acres. The Balm Creek dam is north of the lower Powder.

Mr. Almirall left for the site of the operations with W. A. Stewart, local possibly within two years we will be considered. operations with W. A. Stewart, local possibly within two years we will be representative of the company. Mr. Almirall's announcement means ect. There is a possibility the next toward the development of congress will pass land legislation Baker county, as its points to resump- which will relieve the situation and

Health Bill for Cattle Ordered by Governor

Salem-A quarantine proclamation conditions is concerned, Henry Clews issued by Governor West here against has a rival in John O'Connor, 16 years the foot and mouth disease prohibits "Both General Carrange and the old, of Portland, who returned to the the shipping of livestock into the state State Reform school after being out from states where the disease exists on parole a year. The lad said be had been working in a tailor shop in Portland, but, because of a falling off in business, had been laid off.

personal safety this government has for when I was working my wages. Shipments of livestock from coun-made itself responsible have left the were small and I could not save much. ties where the disease does not exist poportunity for a borrower to get a made itself responsible have left the bearing and a loan.

The reserve banks are not to do a city. The priests and nuns who had reserve banks are not to do a city. The priests and nuns who had been said for whose convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided convinced that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided that business would not pick hibited by the proclamation provided tha politics, I decided to come back here being loaded, and unloaded en route in to spend the winter. I went to the yards that have been disinfected. This statement was given out after Juvenile court and saked to be recom- Health certificates giving this infor-

> Olympia, Wash .- Dr. H. T. Graves, over the telephone and the superin-tendent told him to send the lad to the state agricultural commission, has school for the winter. Mr. Hale says gone to Portland to attempt to arrange lations of Washington and Oregon to allow free shipment of livestock beveloped.

> Shortage of carbolic acid is faced here on account of the large quantities used for car and stockyarad disinfec-John Waterhouse against Clatsop tion, and state and Federal departcounty was completed before Judge ments in consequence have authorized Campbell of the Circuit court this the use of chloride of lime and for-

"Dry" Majority Is 36,000.

state-wide election. Practically complete returns from every county in the state give a total taken and the plaintiff's claim was of 134,106 in favor of the amendment and 98,209 against it. This is a favorable majority of 35,897. A few outlying precincts in some Central and Eastern Oregon counties may not be included in these totals, and if they give the same vote in favor of prohibition as given in the other rural districts the majority doubtless will reach

> The vote on the amendment to abolish capital punishment is close and doubtless will require the official canvass to decide.

Condon Aids Sufferers.

Condon-A relief fund of \$257 was aised in Condon for the benefit of the British Red Cross by a concert and dance given in the local akating rink. The talent for the concert was all from Condon and nearby towns and the Scotch and American dances appealed particularly to the fancy of the crowd. Although many attended merely to help the cause, everybody remained to en joy one of the most pleasant social affairs ever held in Condon. After the concert two orchestras kept the dan-cers busy until a late hour.

Opinion Backs Teachers.

Salem — Keeping children who are lax in their studies and deportment in after school is legal, according to an opinion rendered by Assistant District Attorney Benjamin. The question arose over the action of two won taking their children from the Buena Vista school while the teachers were Good Hope, the British cruisers reported lost in the recent sea fight with a Instruction Churchill has estimated school hours. When E. G. Dykstra,

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It was an earnest humorist who vowed a solemn vow;
'I will not write a turkey-hash-and-soup joke, anyhow!
I will not do that fearsome thing. I will not pen a jest About the bird whose remnants rise to mock the staying guest."

He made a postscript to his vow, he made a codicil, He was as acrious as though he framed his final will. And then he sat him down and smiled, and thought with all his might About the post-Thanksgiving jokes he did not have to write.

But in a day or so he felt exceeding queer and strange. A restless something held his mind, he hankered for a change. He asked his doctor what was wrong; the doctor gave a pill And made a memorandum to add twenty to his bill.

Then all the jokes that grace this time came flocking to his brain, Each ancient quip and jingling rhyme marched sternly in the train, And each of them and all of them compelled him then to think— Just as a man thinks when he says he shuts off smoke or drink. At last he said: "Well, just one more - a farewell jest I'll write. It shall be nothing serious, some fancy thin and light.

He wrote the jest, just as a man who says he has sworn off Takes rock-and-rye or some such thing to soothe a little cough. But why pursue this sorry tale? Why tell of what he did?
"Twas like the "one more" drink or smoke that throws away the lid.
He wrote of turkey hash, and soup, of turkey meat croquettes,
He wrote of bones that had been grilled, of warmed-up entremets.

He wrote of turkey pie and stew, of turkey consomme, He wrote a turkey-joke debauch until the break of day. And when they came and found him ill, and sought to nurse him through They said: "Here, taste this turkey broth. It will be good for you!"

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in Enjoyment as Well as in Devotions.

Therefore the Turkey in the Center of Well-Spread Board Is a Symbol of Praise to the Giver of All That is Good and Perfect.

heerlessness. The Thanksgiving tur- the family group is the basis of the tey is as much a part of the day as real thanksgiving spirit. irtual penance, as would be the case dessings as a part of the liberal porion that Providence has dispensed tey is the emblem of the nation's de-

The assembling of the congregatween the two states, in neither of lone in the churches is but a part which foot and mouth disease has deof the devotion of the day. It is, in of peoples. All should unite in woract, the symbolic part. It is ex- ship in the churches and return home pressive of the spirit of the people n praise to the Delty for the general circle. dessings to the nation. The actual pirit of thanksgiving is that which akes account of the unison of the amily in the act of praise as it parakes of the provisions of the day. harles Lamb says that one should Prohibition secured a majority of undred times a day for the good of approximately 36,000 in the recent lying. The grace said at the Thanks-

Thanksgiving dinner then sets forth. Back of all nationality lies the famfly. This is the foundation stone in the social system. The city, the state, the nation are outgrowths of the Spirit of Thanksgiving Manifested family. The people expressing their thanks to Almighty God for the blessings conferred upon the community in its several organizations is not as sacred a symbol as the family at meat in recognition of the goodness of God to its members. The purity

and sweetness of the family tie, the power and influence of the family teaching, the consecration and devotion of the heads of the family circle-these are the things that fill the measure of Thanksgiving as the ROM the early days when the myriad household groups gather about Saxon kings tethered their the well-laden boards to return steeds "hard by the banquet thanks for the good things of God to board," so that the foam of them. From the youngest to the eldthe chargers flecked the beard est in these groups the real spirit of the eater, to the present time, the thanksgiving is set forth, even though pirit of the amply loaded board is many of them do not dwell upon the he spirit of festivity and of good spirit of praise in fact. For, after all, Thanksgiving day would be true thanksgiving is to be in the obbed of the particular flavor it pos- spirit of praise and not simply to exesses if it were a day of severe ob press forms of devotion. These latter ervation. The spirit of Thanksgiv- are essential as the symboling forth ng without the sanctifying grace of of the gratitude of the nation, but spread board would be a spirit of the simple loving and the goodness of

are the devotions that the day calls | The churches will be well attended. The devotions would be dry and the discourse the worship and and sapless if the day were made a the singing will all direct the mind vithout the turkey regnant upon the nation that was formed from the scatlatter, while the family gathers about tered colonies of the Atlantic seahe board to give thanks for home board and will point to the beginnings of Thanksgiving day upon the bleak coasts of New England. All this is o the nation. The Thanksgiving tur- well. God, who made and has kept the American people a nation, has done more by that act to attest the spirit of his fatherhood than by any other act in the history of nations or

the turkey in the setting of the accessories of one of the biggest dinners of the year. It is to be hoped that all may have a Thanksgiving dinner, so that all may enter into not only say grace at meat, but a the praise for the goodness of the jundred times a day for the good of giver of every good and perfect gift. Without the turkey, the accepted symdving board-and even those unused bol of American rejoicing at Thankso such invocation should observe it giving time, the day would be incomipon that occasion-is a grace for plete; with it the spirit and essence blessings of life which the of the occasion is present.

give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good: for His mercy endureth lorever.



out of the earth.